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SPECIAL SESSION OF LEGISLATURE MEET MONDAY.

The Legislature of Tennessee meet in Nashville Monday pursuant to a call issued by Gov. Roberts. The general legislation to be acted upon is as follows:

To take action upon the amendment of the constitution of the United States proposed by the Congress, giving women full right of suffrage, being the proposed nineteenth amendment to the federal constitution.

To fix the legal status of women.

To prescribe the qualifications of women for suffrage, including the imposition of a poll tax, to provide for their registration, and to enact such legislation as may be necessary to this end.

An act providing for the exemption from poll tax and from work on public roads by soldiers, sailors and marines engaged in the world war, or any other war in which the citizens of this state enlisted, so far as the state constitution will allow.

The refund by the state to ex-service men of amounts paid by them in poll taxes since their enlistment in the service.

To exempt all county and municipal bonds, hereafter issued from taxation.

To reduce and fix the rate of taxation on property in all cases where a fixed rate, or minimum is prescribed, whether for state, county, municipality, school district, special district, or other sub-division of the state; to confer upon county courts and municipalities the power to make reductions of such rates of taxation of property, and to fix rates of taxation on property within their respective jurisdiction; to amend or repeal all general or special statutes, whether applying to the state or to any portion or sub-division thereof, fixing the tax rate for any purpose or the minimum rate so as to prevent the collection of an unnecessary amount of taxes under an assessment of property at actual cash value.

To amend Chapter 3, public acts of 1919, and Chapter 602, public acts of 1907, so as to provide for the assessment of the intangible properties of all foreign and domestic corporations doing business in this state, not now within said statutes.

The amendment of legislation that will provide more effective methods for uncovering and assessing personal and intangible property in this state.

An act authorizing the Board of Equalization, composed of the Governor, Treasurer and Secretary of State, to call for, hear and consider additional proof with respect to the valuation of properties on whose assessments said board must finally pass, and to take expert testimony or employ experts for this purpose, and to call upon Interstate Commerce Commission for records and evidence in its possession with respect to valuations of railroad properties, and to make appropriation for same.

To enact such legislation as may be necessary to enable the state to establish an institution for the feeble-minded, including a sufficient appropriation of funds for such establishment and the purchase or condemnation of such property as may be needed for that purpose.

To pass such legislation as is necessary to authorize the state

through proper officials, to construct a railroad from some point on any other railroad most advantageous to the state to a point at or on the state-owned lands on Flat Fork creek in Morgan county, so as to develop said property and to make an appropriation therefor.

An amendment to Chapter 185, Public Acts of 1919, which itself amends the act providing for the issuance of bonds for State Normal and Polytechnic Institute, and to amend the original act, being Chapter 117, Public Acts of 1917, so as to provide a rate of interest at which such bonds may be sold.

To provide for the purchase of a small tract of land adjoining the state-owned lands in Morgan County, covered by option given to the state by the owners of said small tract.

A Child Welfare Code, embracing legislation affecting children in all relations of life, and defining the rights of parents respecting children.

To authorize State Board of Equalization of Chief Tax Statistician to compel corporations, firms, and individuals to file reports when called for.

An act to require all municipalities, making separate assessments to make taxation on all properties equal and uniform, either by modification of rate or assessment, as applied to properties assessed by Railroad Commission, where necessary.

An act to authorize the State of Tennessee to borrow money and issue its short-time notes for the purpose of securing funds to replace funds used on February 20, 1920, in the payment of the notes of the state, and for other purposes.

An act to limit the power and authority of county courts and city commissioners with respect to tax levies, and to this end to establish budget commissions for counties and cities.

Only matters of compelling urgency have been included in this call. It is less than five months until the Legislature will convene in regular session, at which time other matters, both general and special, which have been strongly urged upon me, can be taken up at a time when they may receive full consideration. The pledges made in the Democratic platform not hereinbefore specifically mentioned are in no sense ignored, but will be fully redeemed by the income Legislature.

HILMAN R-J.

Road working is in progress in this section. It is very much needed.

J M Loftis made a business trip to Robertson county recently.

Mrs Helen Wright visited Mrs C E Ellis.

New Hope school begun July 26, with an enrollment of 82.

The protracted meeting is in progress at Dotson's Branch this week.

Mrs Job Smith has been very sick.

Heile! Okla., kids would like to see you all.

Okley Brown was at Elpardo recently.

Miss Ida Lee has been attending church at Dotson's Branch.

Sam Brown is hauling on Bear-river.

A large crowd attended Sunday school at New Hope.

County Board of Education, District Advisory Board and Constables Elected.

The following is the official vote cast for the members of the Board of Education, District Advisory Board, Constables in regular election, Aug. 5.

County Board of Education.

First Division.—First, Eighth and Fifteenth District. J. H. Jackson was elected without opposition, receiving 106 votes.

Second Division.—Sixth, Ninth, Tenth Districts. Perry Mabry defeated Mc Hensley 18 votes.

	Mabry	Hensley
6th Dist.	54	28
9th "	76	87
10th "	54	51
Total	184	166

Third Division.—Seventh, Eleventh and Twelfth Districts. Lee Carter defeated Henry Platt 124 votes.

	Platt	Carter
7th Dist.	14	79
11th "	52	132
12th "	94	73
Total	160	284

Fourth Division.—Third, Fifth and Districts. Henry Holleman elected without opposition, receiving 250 votes.

Fifth Division.—Second, Fourth and Thirteenth District. A. McCawley defeated George Hix.

	McCawley	Hix
2nd Dist.	73	00
4th "	23	00
13th "	10	54
Total	106	54

District Advisory Board.

1st Dist. Joe Tinsley 81, J. C. Sadler 69, J. M. Chaffin 56, Page 30, Brown 56.

2nd Dist. W. H. Birdwell 43, G. T. Aix 34, Clark Sadler 33.

3rd Dist. P. P. Casetty 23, R. H. Williams 21, H. C. Draper 25.

4th Dist. Sadler 41, Casetty 40, West 34.

5th Dist. Harris 138, Hargis 101, Duke 108.

6th Dist. Dibrell Lee 45.

7th Dist. Neal 54, Kirby 47, Davidson 66.

8th Dist. O. B. Scantland 25, Thos. Scantland 25, H. Crabtree 25.

11th Dist. Bob Pruett 104, Henry Jones 105, Boss Jones 89.

13th Dist. S. B. Gaines 26, J. B. Birdwell 26, J. E. Sadler 20.

14th Dist. Jim Pearson 35, Henry Brown 10, Ben Witcher 18.

Constables

1st Dist. W. T. Copeland 226, Newton Keith 240.

2nd Dist. Martin Ray 108, Harley, McCain 43.

3rd Dist. W. B. Carver 32, Van Wood 53.

4th Dist. Whitaker 69, J. D. Vinson 8.

5th Dist. Emery 80, Manier 74, Agee 69.

6th Dist. Wilburn Crabtree 24.

7th Dist. Pippen 80.

8th Dist. W. J. Scantland 70.

9th Dist. Phillips 34, Ramsey 123.

10th Dist. Holloway 73, Goolsby 5.

11th Dist. Geo. Brown 130.

12th Dist. D. B. Platt 100, Pippen 67.

12th Dist. Jim Aix 71, Edd Poteet 86.

14th Dist. A. M. Forkum 88,

Schools of Jackson County And Teachers in Charge.

The following are the schools of Jackson county and the teachers now in charge.

1st Division.

Free State, Mrs. Luther Sutton.

Woodrow, C. W. Davis.

Dudney's Hill, none.

McCoinsville, Miss Lena Anderson. Assistant, none.

Birdwell's Chapel, Miss Abbye Sparkman.

Gainesboro Col. Mattie Mosley (col).

Jackson, Miss Clyde Jackson.

Assistant, Miss Sallie Smith.

Meagsville, Mrs. Nannie Hall.

Assistant, Addie Howard.

Pleasant Hill, none.

Big Bottom, Mrs. Lizzie Howard.

Lick Fork, Verda Spivey.

Lock's Branch, Herman Spivey.

2nd Division

Fairview, Pearl Wisdom.

Greenwood, T. H. Norton.

Old Antioch, Josephine Ward.

New Hope, Ona Maxwell.

Arbor, Lillian Lee.

Dotson Branch, Thurman Owen. Assistant, Anna M. Owen.

Gentry's Chapel, Mrs. Frank Chapman.

Rocky Gap, Alvis Johnson.

Morrison's Creek, none.

Freewill, Ina Allen.

Center Grove, Hyram Way.

Shiloh, Lottie Harley.

Pine Hill, Ora Pate.

Mayberry, Henry Hawkins.

Lynn's Chapel, Claris Wassom.

3rd Division

Flynn's Lick, O. C. Norton.

Assistant, Lizzie Rogers.

Whites Bend, Comer Gailbreath.

Big Branch, W. E. Ragland.

Forks of creek, Mollie Ragland.

New Salem, John E. Brown.

Assistant, John B. Jones.

Corinth, R. B. Spurlock.

Nameless, Mrs. Howard Brown.

Shady Grove, Vernon Ragland.

Union, Joe H. Pippin. Assistant, Lillian Harley.

Antioch, Elora Fox, Assistant, Bessie Allen.

4th Division

Granville, Estelle Daniel. Assistant, Virgie Johnson, 2nd assistant, Ina Carr.

Liberty, Mary T. Byrne. Assistant, Zora Fox.

Liberty Hill, none.

Smith's Bend, none.

Spring Fork, John B. Spurlock.

Granville col. none.

Corinth, Ethel Wheeler.

Fun's Branch, W. C. Dixon.

Assistant, Zanda B. Dixon.

Smith's Chapel, Ella Smith.

Gladdico, A. F. Dixon. Assistant, Estelle Martin.

Wartrace, J. F. Gaines, Assistant, Eula Dycus.

Beech Grove, Mrs. Josephine Mabry.

5th Division.

New Bethel, Hilman Lovelady.

Assistant, Ora Smith.

Indian Creek, Autie Smith.

Cub Creek, none.

Hensley Creek, none.

Vester Ramsey 86.

15th Dist. Bob Lawson 37.

Justice of the Peace.

Mr. Davidson elected Justice of Peace for 7th District.

15th Dist. Justice of Peace, Flynn 25, Williford 25.

Arbor, Jennie McCue. Stone, Hubby Hix. Assistant, Eva Pate.

Willow Grove, Theo Cason.

Allen School, Kate Hix.

North Springs, Harley Davis, principal. Assistant, Miss Nora Spivey.

Teal's Chapel, Iva McCain.

Haydenburg, John Johnson. Assistant, Amos D. Anderson.

South Fork, Mrs. Sam McCain.

Grateful For His Election.

I desire to thank the voters and those who were instrumental in electing me as their Trustee on last Thursday. While I was only elected by a small margin, I feel as good over the victory as if it had been several hundred, and appreciate your support just the same.

I have no ill feeling toward those who opposed me and voted for either of the other two candidates. Both are gentlemen of the highest type, and my personal friends.

When I take the oath of office, all may rest assured that I will do all in my power to make you a Trustee that will merit your endorsement, should I ask for a second term.

Again thanking one and all for what they did in my behalf, I am Sincerely yours,

J. F. Stout.

DETROIT, MICH.

Detroit, Mich. Aug. 5, 1920.

Editor Sentinel:

Allow me space and I will give you some Detroit news.

I arrived home from old Jackson county on August 1, to find my wife and baby both under the doctor's care and real bad off. They are both some better. The doctor hasn't called yet but will soon.

S. B. McCain's wife is visiting relatives in Tenn., and Sam says if he don't get a letter from her soon he is going to dress up and start out looking them over.

J. D. Dudley and family are all O. K.

All of the Tennessee people are well so far as I know.

John Wilmoth's 3 girls are O. K. and have good jobs.

Everybody works in Detroit.

We are having some cool weather at present.

Monday night Aug. 2, a big Jack frost visited the state of Mich., and part of Ohio.

Chas. Rodeek, general foreman, and Tim Ford, ass't Supt., are both away on a 2 weeks vacation. Little Humphrey Kern, the Irishman and big Pete Stephens are filling their places.

I will ring off with best of wishes to the Sentinel and its many readers.

Respt. W. S. Mabry.

H. Grady Gore, attorney, attended the special term of Chancery court at Carthage last Saturday, where the case of W. S. Wood against Vallie Belle Wood for divorce was tried. The question of alimony was settled by compromise between the parties, and complainant W. S. Wood was given exclusive custody of their 13-year old son, Ernest. Mr. Gore represented the complainant and H. B. McGinnis, J. R. Curtis and L. A. Ligow the defendant.

CROP CONDITIONS IN TENNESSEE MUCH IMPROVED.

Crop conditions made further improvement during the grater pars of July, though the last few days were rather cool and dry for rapid development, and some crops suffered to some extent for moisture, is indicated by the August 1, Crop Report, issued by G. L. Morris Agricultural Statistician, Bureau of Crop Estimates United States Department of Agriculture, in reporting conditions in Tennessee.

The weather being generally favorable, nearly all crops made rapid progress until the dry, cool days the latter part of the month choked growth, and caused some firing of corn, pastures and vegetables. The corn crop, though shorter in acreage, is in better condition than on same date 1919. Wheat threshings are over, and the yield is a little better than the forecast of a month ago.

Tobacco has made rather slow growth. The crop being mostly late, did not get the start it should have had before the dry spell struck it. There are many bad stands, and the plant is small for the season, the condition though is a little better than on same date last year.

A good crop of clover hay has been saved, and the yield is above the average. Pastures suffered the last few days of the month, but are in fair condition for this date. Peas, beans and vegetables, though needing rain, are in fair shape. The peanut crop is short in acreage, and condition rather low.

The condition and estimated yield of corn in the state is 89 per cent; production 91,896,000 bushel; compared with 84,255,000 bushel on the same date last year. The yield of wheat is 9.8 bu. per acre, the estimated production is 4,155,000 bu. compared with 7,290,000 bu. final estimate 1919. The condition of tobacco is 80 per cent, and estimated yield 79,920,000 lbs., compared with 79,992,000 lbs., same date last season.

The condition of the corn crop of the United States is 86.7 per cent; estimated yield 3,003,822,000 bu., compared with 2,689,376,000 bu. same date 1919. The total estimated yield of all wheat is 794,147,000 bu., compared with 940,987,000 bu. final estimate last year. The estimated yield of tobacco is 1,544,459,000 lbs., compared with 1,500,800,000 lbs on same date 1919.

The estimated production of cotton in the state on July 25, is 300,000 bales, and for the United States 12,419,000 bales.

FOR SALE—Ford touring car, and a dandy good one. Will sell at a bargain. This car is in A1 condition. If interested see me at once. Claude Robrerts, Gainesboro.

Save your eyes before it is too late. Sore eyes, granulated eyelids, wild hairs, watering, itching, smarting eyes, scums, or Pterygiums can positively be cured with Dr. Garfinkle's eye remedy. The first bottle will fully convince you. It is sold in Gainesboro by Anderson & Haile, druggists, on a positive guarantee to give good results or your money cheerfully refunded. Price \$1 per bottle. It can be sent by mail anywhere prepaid. 11-13 20.

FOR SALE—Ford roadster, 1918 Model, comparatively new casings. In good condition. Sell cheap for cash or good note. A. R. McCawley, Haydenburg, Tenn. R-2.